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C O N F I D E N T I A L PRETORIA 4092

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SF, OVIP (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S VISIT TO SOUTH AFRICA:

MEETING WITH BLACK LEADERS

REF: PRETORIA 4091

1. FOLLOWING IS LIST OF BLACK LEADERS WHOM SECRETARY MIGHT INVITE FOR DISCUSSION OF BLACK PERSPECTIVES OF THE SOUTH AFRICAN SCENE. THEY REPRESENT THE CATEGORIES MENTIONED IN THE MEMORANDUM I GAVE THE SECRETARY IN ZURICH ON THIS SUBJECT. DESPITE THE PM'S PREFERENCE THAT DR. MANAS BUTHELEZI, REPRESENTING THE SOWETO BLACK PARENTS ASSOCIATION, NOT BE INCLUDED, I CONSIDER IT IMPORTANT THAT HE BE INVITED. HE IS ONE OF THE VERY FEW BLACK SPOKESMEN NOT IN DETENTION WHO CAN BE SAID TO SPEAK ON BEHALF OF YOUNGER BLACK ELEMENTS. THE FACT THAT HE IS INVITED MAY BE USEFUL IN COUNTERING THE ALMOST INEVITABLE ALLEGATIONS THAT HOMELAND LEADERS AND OTHERS WITH WHOM THE SECRETARY MET ARE "UNCLE TOMS", EVEN THOUGH MANY OF THEM HAVE SPOKEN OUT STRONGLY AGAINST SAG POLICIES IN RECENT WEEKS.

2. RECOMMENDED GUEST LIST:

CHIEF MINISTER OF KWAZULU, GATSHA BUTHELEZI

CHIEF MINISTER OF GAZANKULU, PROF. H.W.E. NTSANWISI

CHIEF MINISTER OF BOPHUTHATSWANA LUCAS M. MANGOPE

CHIEF MINISTER OF CISKEI, LENNOX L. SEBE

CHAIRMAN, SOWETO BLACK PARENTS ASSOCIATION, DR. MANAS BUTHELEZI

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CHAIRMAN, SOWETO URBAN BANTU COUNCIL, TOLICA MAKHAYA

DEPUTY CHAIRMAN, SOWETO URBAN BANTU COUNCIL (AND MEMBER OF
COMMITTEE OF 30), LEONARD MVSALA
CHAIRMAN, COLORED REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL EXECUTIVE, SONNY LEON
CHAIRMAN, INDIAN REPRESENTATIVE COUNCIL EXECUTIVE, J.N. REDDY
RECTOR-DESIGNATE OF UNIVERSITY OF THE NORTH, WILLIAM KGWARE

3. WOULD APPRECIATE INDICATION OF:

A. WHERE IN SECRETARY'S SCHEDULE WILL THIS MEETING FIT?

B. WHERE SECRETARY PREFERS TO HOST THE MEETING:
AT HOTEL OR RESIDENCE.

C. AUTHORIZATION TO EXTEND INVITATIONS IN HIS NAME.
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